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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS), XF

SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO MIDDLE EAST

REF: A) CAIRO 11486; B) CAIRO 12170

1. FOLLOWING IS PROPOSED ITINERARY FOR SECRETARY'S
VISIT TO MIDDLE EAST. ALL TIMES ARE LOCAL AND MAY REQUIRE
SLIGHT ADJUSTMENT WITH RESPECT TO FLYING TIMES BETWEEN
STOPS.

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SUNDAY, JULY 31
2200 DEPART ANDREWS

MONDAY, AUGUST 1
0600 REFUEL LAJES
0730 DEPART LAJES

1700 ARRIVE ALEXANDRIA

TUESDAY, AUGUST 2
IN ALEXANDRIA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3
1130 DEPART ALEXANDRIA
1300 ARRIVE BEIRUT

1700 DEPART BEIRUT
1730 ARRIVE DAMASCUS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4
IN DAMASCUS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5
1100 DEPART DAMASCUS
1140 ARRIVE AMMAN

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6
1100 DEPART AMMAN
1455 ARRIVE TAIF

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7
IN TAIF

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MONDAY, AUGUST 8
0900 DEPART TAIF
1010 ARRIVE TEL AVIV

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9
IN JERUSALEM

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10
1000EPART TEL AVIV
1330 ARRIVE LAJES
1500 DEPART LAJES
1700 ARRIVE ANDREWS

2. PLEASE APPROACH HOST GOVERNMENTS URGENTLY INFORMING THEM OF DATES OF PROPOSED STOPOVERS IN RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES AND DETERMINE WHETHER THIS MEETS WITH THEIR APPROVAL. YOU SHOULD ALSO EMPHASIZE NEED TO HOLD CLOSELY ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE TIMES FOR AS LONG AS POSSIBLE FOR SECURITY REASONS.

3. FOR CAIRO: SECRETARY VERY MUCH APPRECIATES PRESIDENT SADAT'S KIND OFFER OF SAFA PALACE BUT WOULD PREFER TO BE LODGED IN PALESTINE HOTEL WITH REST OF PARTY.

4. FOR AMMAN: SECRETARY WILL BE PLEASED TO STAY AT HASHEMIYAH PALACE (AMMAN 4028). UNDER SECRETARY HABIB, ASSISTANT SECRETARY ATHERTON AND SPECIAL ASSISTANT SPIEGEL WILL ALSO BE ACCOMODATED THERE.

5. FOR TEL AVIV: REGRET CHANGE IN SIGNALS BUT SECRETARY PREFERS TO STAY KING DAVID INSTEAD OF JERUSALEM HILTON.

6. SIZE OF PARTY WILL BE ROUGHLY SAME AS FOR FEBRUARY

TRIP. FULL MANIFEST WILL FOLLOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.
YOU SHOULD INFORM HOST GOVERNMENTS THAT MRS. VANCE WILL
ACCOMPANY SECRETARY ON VISIT. VANCE
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